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Break Ground for Con Gas Building



CHECKING OVER PLANS James C. Preston, Executive Manager, R. J. Fowler, Grayling Township Supervisor, Lynn Barber, Vice-President of the Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., and other officials are checking over plans of the new building to be built here for Grayling Area's new gas plant. Others in photo from left, Earl Larson, Earl Larson, Grayling Area's Commercial

Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. broke ground Tuesday for its new Grayling Area gas plant. The new building will be built on the site of the old gas plant. The new building will be built on the site of the old gas plant. The new building will be built on the site of the old gas plant.

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Senior Citizens Program Receives State Funds Here

The Crawford County Multi-Purpose Center here has been awarded \$6,000 for the fiscal year starting today by the Michigan Commission on Aging.

This money will be used to pay the major share of financing the county's Senior Citizen program for the year according to Mrs. Lora Gould, director.

She said \$1,500 had been appropriated by the county for the next fiscal year to help pay for the program.

The Crawford County program consists primarily of providing information and referral on services available to senior citizens, and planned recreation, according to Mrs. Gould.

She said this will be the third year state funds have been allocated to Crawford County for the program. Next year, Mrs. Gould said, the local government is scheduled to take over full financing of the program.

Services of the Multi-Purpose Center here are open to all senior citizens of Crawford County, Mrs. Gould said.

ONE-CAP OPENS CLOTHING CENTER

One Cap, Inc. has established a clothing center in the old Grayling State Bank Building. This is a place where anyone can leave things they no longer need and they will be given to low-income families in need.

Anyone having items they would like to give to the center may call Wilma Case, 348-7377 or Pearl Keene, 348-9548 for pickup.

The center will be open from 8 a.m. to 3:30 on Wednesdays.

AuSable Needs Basin Wide Management

By Willard Bosserman
County Extension Director

The entire basin has to be considered when making management plans. Otsego lake is in the AuSable River basin.

When something is done in one portion of a river system, all aspects of what any action may have on other parts of the river must be considered.

The Department of Natural Resources has come up with a sound proposal in relieving some of the water pressure from Otsego lake. They plan to let water out of the lake at only five to six cubic feet per second. Something else has happened that could make it possible to let the water down with the least or no damage to the river's fishery or property.

First, court injunctions have delayed construction. Secondly, the lake has gone down at least two to three inches since the May high. If the Otsego lake property owners can suffer through the rest of the summer, the water could be let down in the winter. The winter let down has some advantage over summer and fall. There would be no temperature difference. The extra water would not damage trout food by washing mayfly larvae off the gravel stones. The water level may be closer to normal by winter, therefore less total water to drain off. The brown trout will have completed spawning and a winter let down wouldn't do harm like a fall let down could during the spawning period.

To avoid another flooding condition on lake Otsego a level control gate should be installed. This will prevent another health hazard from arising and will not create another crisis like we had this year.

The delay may cause the Otsego lake people a little more inconvenience, but wouldn't transfer their problem to those living on the North branch of the AuSable.

Changes are pretty good that all of the ground water in the Otsego lake area exits through the north branch of the AuSable eventually.

It might help relieve some minds about quality if water samples were tested from Otsego lake and the north branch. I am willing to bet there would be very little difference in nitrates, phosphates and bacteria.

City Asks For Annexation

The city of Grayling has filed an application with the state boundaries commission for the annexation of some 480 acres of land located to the south of the city limits.

Three weeks ago, at a cost of \$100,000, the city purchased an area of the property to be developed as an industrial park. It is planned that city water and sewer service will be extended to the area.

Also included in the proposed annexation is the site of the new Holiday Inn, on 145 Business Loop, South.

City officials said a number of property owners in the area oppose the annexation, but that others favor joining the city to obtain city water and sewer facilities.

The officials said they hope to increase the tax base of the city, the county and the school system by developing the industrial park. The development would also increase employment in the area, they note.

Several industrial firms have already indicated interest in the industrial park, officials reported.

The boundaries commission will now schedule public hearings on proposed annexation to hear any objections before a decision is made.

Deadline!

July 16 is the deadline for turning in your name for the Mercey Hospital Auxiliary gift card. Remember, there is a \$10 prize for the name picked by the judges. Boxes are at the Grayling State Bank and the Avalanche office for your suggestions.

Ernest Van Patten Succumbs Monday

The Avalanche has been informed of the death of Ernest Van Patten Monday night. Funeral arrangements were not complete as we went to press. Friends may call Sorenson Funeral Home for details.

38th Division Begins Training Saturday



4th OF JULY IN GRAYLING — Just a portion of the crowd that jammed Michigan Ave. following the parade and just prior to the water battle between the Frederic and Grayling Fire Departments. The all day celebration was topped off by another very successful fire works display at dusk.

Arraign Nine In Drug Case Here

On Tuesday, June 29, seven persons were arraigned before Judge Francis L. Walsh in the 33rd district court on charges of use of marihuana and being disorderly persons.

Two others appeared on charges of being disorderly persons and frequenting a place when an illegal occupation was being conducted — where drugs (marijuana and LSD) and alcohol were illegally being kept, used and sold.

Douglas Slater, 17, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to being a disorderly person and entered a nolo contendere plea (I do not wish to contend) to the charge of use of marihuana. He is free on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond, with sentencing deferred.

Michael Staley, 18, of Kalkaska, stood mute (innocent) to both charges. He demanded a trial by jury to be a disorderly person charge and a trial by jury to the use of marihuana charge. He is free on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

David Harland, 17, of Grayling, was also charged with use of marihuana and being a disorderly person. His case was adjourned to next Tuesday, July 6, and he is free on \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

Jay Woolley, 17, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to being a disorderly person. He is free on \$200 personal recognizance bond and sentencing was deferred.

Gil Ashton, 17, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to being a disorderly person and to the use of marihuana. Sentencing was deferred and he is free on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

Marie Melara, 18, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to use of marihuana and being a disorderly person. Sentencing was deferred and she is free on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

Kathie Ann Rutkowski, 17, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to use of marihuana and being a disorderly person. She is free on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond, with sentencing deferred.

Rhonda Morningstar, 17, of Grayling, stood mute (innocent) to being a disorderly person and demanded trial by the court. She is free on a \$200 personal recognizance bond.

Bid Opening For School

The organizational meeting of the Board of Education will be held Monday, July 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the biology room of the High School. At this meeting officers for the coming year will be elected.

At 8 p.m. the bids will be opened for the selling of bonds for the new high school.

FREE PORTRAITS TO BE TAKEN SAT., JULY 17

The photographer for Allstates Color Studio will be here on Saturday, July 17, between the hours of 1 to 6 p.m. to take pictures for those that signed up for free portraits through the Avalanche.

Sittings will be held at the Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel, and the studio will be notifying each individual as to time through the mail.

If there is anyone who wishes to take advantage of this offer, and did not sign up, they may still come to the hotel on that day for the free portrait offer.

Cong. Cederberg's Aide To Be Here July 15

Congressman Elford A. Cederberg's temporary liaison man, Ronald W. Stolz, will be visiting Crawford County in order to offer the citizens of the Tenth District an opportunity to bring difficulties they might have with the Federal government to his attention.

Mr. Stolz will be at the courthouse in Grayling on Thursday, July 15 from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Mr. Cederberg reminds those who might have a problem with a Federal agency to bring along any documents that might help to identify his case to Mr. Stolz.

Rep. Cramton to Miss July-August Visits

State Representative Louis K. Cramton (R-Midland) will not be at the Crawford County Building in Grayling for his Monday visits for the month of July and August.

He will resume his schedule in September.

Film Series At Kirtland

"Civilization", a thirteen part film series tracing the cultural life of Western man from the fall of the Roman Empire through the twentieth century is currently being shown by Kirtland Community College.

The sixth film in this series, "Protest and Communication", will be shown on July 8th, today, at 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. in the auditorium on the college campus.

These films are free of charge. The public is invited to either showing of this informative series of fifty minute color films.

"Protest and Communication" — The troubled world of the rise of Protestantism and the division of Christianity; of the invention of printing; of vicious religious wars and the humane spirits of Erasmus and Sir Thomas More; the art of Holbein and Durer; the skepticism of Montaigne, and the heroic pessimism of Shakespeare.

Circuit Court Opens July 13

The July term of Circuit Court will open Tuesday, July 13, at 1:30 p.m., with the Honorable Robert H. Campbell, Circuit Judge of Clare presiding in the absence of Judge Dennis J. O'Keefe.

Fifty-five cases appear in the calendar for the July term of court.

There is one criminal jury case and 15 non-jury criminal cases. Of the civil cases, 10 are jury and 29 non-jury cases.

Major elements of the National Guard's 38th Infantry Division will begin two weeks of annual field training at Camp Grayling July 10.

Training programs are designed to parallel actual field combat conditions. Guardsmen will undertake practice weapons firing, small unit tactical operations both in daylight and at night, chemical warfare training, field hygiene situations, and maintenance of personal equipment, weapons and vehicles.

On July 16, the Guardsmen, from Indiana, Ohio and Michigan, will assemble for the annual 38th Infantry Division Review at the Camp Grayling Parade Field. Several Guardsmen will be honored for outstanding service at that time.

The main body of convoys will arrive Sunday, July 11. Full-fledged training gets under way the following day.

Civic Day, an opportunity for Grayling area civic leaders to renew old acquaintances and refresh their knowledge of the role of the National Guard, is set for July 14.

The 38th Division, which has a heritage of service in both world wars, is commanded by Maj. Gen. Kenneth W. Brewer of New Albany, Ind.

Major Division elements scheduled to be present during the training period include:

- Headquarters, and Headquarters Company, 38th Infantry Division (Indiana).
- 73rd Brigade (Ohio).
- 76th Brigade (Indiana).
- 1-238th Cavalry (Indiana and Ohio).
- 38th Division Artillery (Indiana and Ohio).
- 149th Engineer Battalion (Indiana, Ohio).
- 125th Signal Battalion (Indiana).
- 28th Aviation Battalion (Indiana).
- 38th Division Support Command (Indiana and Ohio).

The main contingent of Michigan Guardsmen in the division are training separately, with the 46th Brigade set to train at Camp Grayling from July 31 to August 14.

Several detachments of National Guard and Army Reserve components will join with the main body of the division for annual training, mostly to fulfill special needs. Examples are the 17th Quartermaster Detachment which will provide laundry service and the 207th Weather Flight of the Indiana Air National Guard, which will maintain a weather station.

Performance of the Guardsmen will come under scrutiny of teams of Regular Army evaluators who will be on hand to spot check proficiency.

SPAGHETTI DINNER SATURDAY, JULY 10

The Grayling Boosters Club will be sponsoring a spaghetti dinner on Saturday evening, April 10 at the American Legion Hall from 6 to 8 p.m.

Tariff is set at \$2.00 per person, but all you can eat.

Proceeds will go into the Grayling Youth Athletic Fund to be used for various youth projects in the area.



GRAYLING LITTLE LEAGUERS — Shown above is the American Legion sponsored team. Back row from left, Tim Bitner, Brian Hulbert, Cliff Wheeler, Ron Latuazek, Brian Hardin, Ken Kirsch, and Alan Johnston. Front row from left, Perry Papendick, Curt Larson, Steve Harland, Doug Kuhn, Mark McEvers, Danny Walker and Scott Johnston. The team is managed by Ken Montague, in background left, and Ron Johnston at right. The Avalanche will carry pictures of the other three teams in the following weeks. (Chuck Bonamie Photo)

BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick returned recently from a three week trip. They spent some time in Minnesota, then went through Wisconsin to Illinois where they visited their son, Vic, and family in Gurney for a few days.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Edgar Newell and four children of Colorado Springs, Col. are spending some time visiting with his aunt and uncle, the Gene Papendicks, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Papendick of Ashley were visitors last Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Wolff was in South Bend, Ind. visiting friends for several days, returning home Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Pittman of Rio, Ill. were her guests for two days last week.

Guests of the Gordon Ponds weekend before last were their daughter Candy of Detroit and another daughter, Mrs. Dan Mika and Children, Sean and Angel of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Oliver have informed the Avalanche of the death of his brother, Floyd R. Oliver of Essexville. He passed away on June 12 with the funeral being held in Bay City on June 15. Floyd was a retired railway express messenger on the New York Central midnighter that ran through Grayling. His daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willett were former residents having lived on Elm Street, and he had quite a few friends and acquaintances in this area.



Shipwrecks usually happen on water. On land, though, they can be just as disastrous if you happen to be hauling a boat on a trailer or a camping rig.

When a trailer tire blows out or a wheel bearing lets you down the hard way miles from where you can be in real trouble if you didn't have the foresight to carry a spare along. Spares don't cost that much extra and when you need one it will more than pay for itself right then.

To keep tire trouble and costs to a minimum, keep these few tips in mind:

Remember that the right-hand trailer tire takes more punishment than the left one. On crowded roads it gets more of the total load than its mate because the load leans to the right. It strikes broken pavement on the edges, litter and bits of gravel from the road shoulder. It is much more apt to clip curbs and to suffer bruises.

Once a year, or oftener if you use your trailer a lot, it is a good idea to switch tires. This might be easiest to remember during routine wheel greasing, which should be done about every 1,000 miles.

Small tires turn faster than large ones, so chances are your trailer wheels take more of a beating than your car's wheels. Trailers are also more apt to be used on hot pavement in the summer months than at other times of year. A slightly under-inflated tire can be subject to much more rapid and severe sidewall flexing which will make it run at very high temperatures. To avoid blowouts and lengthen tire life considerably, be fussy about maintaining correct inflation pressure.

Since a trailer tire is not used for braking, its tread will not show wear as soon as your car tires. The sidewalls, though, are subjected to as much or even more stress and strain. Check them regularly and if they are badly scraped or cracked, replace them.

During the time you are not using your trailer, it is a good idea to have the proper type of surface on which to park it. Set two concrete building blocks in the ground, flush with the surface, to provide two hard, dry areas for the tires to rest on.

Trailer owners who have to store them outdoors find that the alternate freezing and thawing of the ground in winter makes trailer tires work deep into the ground after a period of time. Increasingly large areas of tread and sidewall are buried in wet earth, leading to deterioration of the tire rubber. The sunken concrete blocks thus protect the trailer tires and, at the same time, keep your yard from being torn up.

Quite often when a trailer owner notices a soft tire, it is at home or on the road, far from an air pump. That's the time to bring out the canned air.

No kidding, there is such a thing and you can usually buy it from your service station or auto appliance store. The can screws onto a tire valve and will inflate it sufficiently to get to a service station for the full treatment. Some canned air also contains a sealant that plugs slow leaks caused by small nails or other injuries.



OHIO GENERAL INSPECTS Camp Grayling. Ohio Adjutant General Dana L. Stewart (center) examines new family of Army radios here last week as he observed training of over 1000 Buckeye citizen-soldiers. With General Stewart are: LTC Raymond R. Galloway, Canton, Ohio, commander of the 1st Battalion, 145th Infantry (left) and 2nd Lt Douglas M. Emerine of Wooster, Company A platoon leader. The new PRT 4 and PRT 9 receiver and transmitter provides a more efficient and lighter weight communications device for Army operations. The Ohio Guard units departed Grayling Saturday morning and arrived home Sunday after an overnight bivouac in Toledo. (Ohio Guard Photo)

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Gould-Welch Named
To Ferris Honor List

Two county students have been named to the Academic Honors List at Ferris State College for scholastic excellence in the spring quarter. A total of 1,510 students were honored.

To be named to the Academic Honors List, a student must maintain at least a B average while carrying a full academic load.

Among those named were William D. Gould, Pharmacy, and Penn H. Welch, General Education, both of Grayling.

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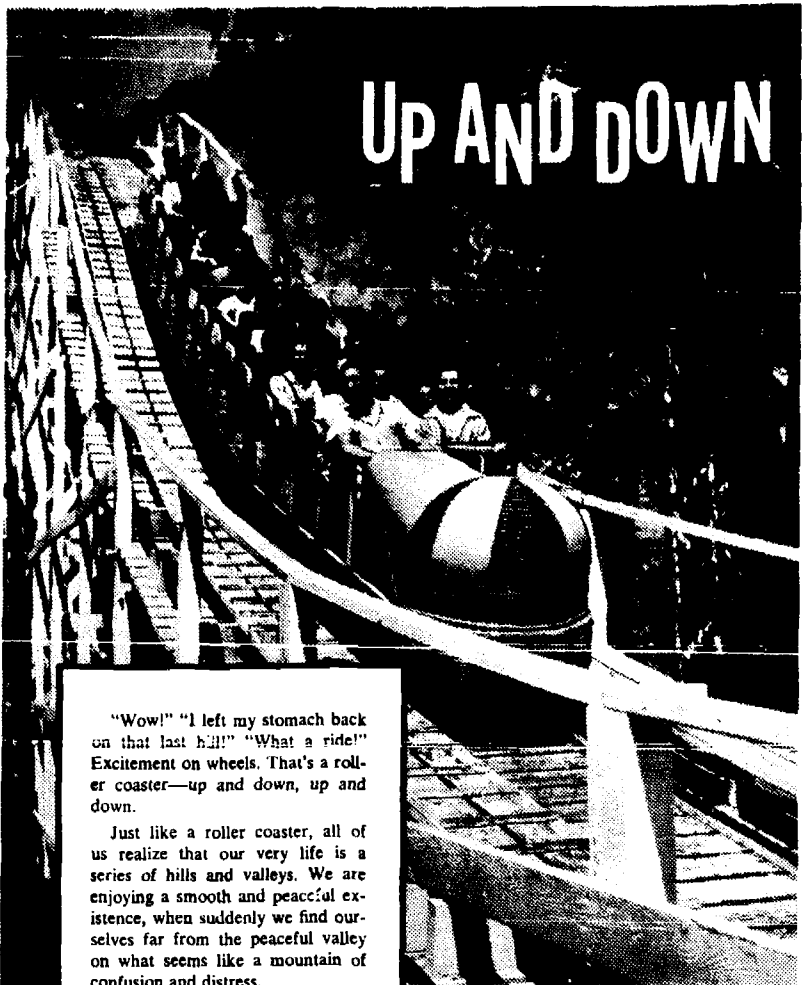
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Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society

Sunday Matthew 24:15-22	Monday Luke 24:45-53	Tuesday Acts 8:26-39	Wednesday Romans 3:10-31
Thursday Romans 15:19-21	Friday 1 Kings 3:7-12	Saturday 1 Kings 4:29-34	

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When The Pork Barrel Is Empty

Hamtramck, Michigan, is a small industrial community of 27,000 persons. It is distinctive for one reason. As reported in Newsweek magazine, Hamtramck "... is now the most impoverished city in the nation ...". Its list of creditors is long. It owes a power company \$200,000, a telephone company \$23,000 and a list of some 385 other local creditors.

The city has revenues of only \$4.5 million. It has a debt of some \$31.5 million, and "The city's budget is such a wreck that yearly it dips several hundred thousand dollars into the red, and municipal employees ... go without paychecks. Local taxes are the highest allowed by the state. There is no money for welfare programs. Even essential city services are collapsing. The city council and the mayor have been threatened with jail terms if they don't start balancing the budget and paying off the city's bills.

Why is Hamtramck in such dire straits? The answer is simple. According to Newsweek's report, the community has been "bled dry" by patronage and petty graft. A local editor says, "... that everyone stood around the pork barrel taking things out, but no one remembered to put anything in." With the vision of Hamtramck fresh in mind, the voters and taxpayers in other communities, and the nation at large, should take a second look at the spending records of their elected representatives at every level of government.

Vanguard Of Darkness

Enrollment in high school science courses has been declining at the rate of about one percent a year during the past ten years. Among the reasons is increasing student concern for "humanity" and ecology. The decline is gaining momentum under the push of the antitechnology cult which imagines that by turning our backs on science, the world will somehow be made a happier place in which to live.

The head of the National Science Supervisors Association has warned that science is at a crossroads position. Its technological achievements are being blamed for the ills of society and the environment. He virtually echoes the words of one of the nation's top industrial leaders who said our present civilization is threatened with "scientific starvation." The antitechnology cult resembles nothing so much as an unreasoning mob inspired to self-destruction through the incantations of ancient medicine men.

The mindless marchers that have taken to the streets to disrupt and protest apparently never pause to think about where their clothes come from, their food, the very transportation that brought them to the site of their frenzied exhibitionism — nor any other consideration that might be expected of the intellectual products of Twentieth Century civilization. Instead of the apostles of light, the antitechnologists could be the vanguard of another Dark Age.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

July 8, 1948

The Grayling Air service has added a new plane to their force of training ships. The new ship is a four place Bellanca low wing monoplane that will be used for charter flying. The plane is powered by a 150 hp, 6 cylinder engine and has a cruising speed of 135 miles per hour, with a top speed of 150.

Dates for the annual state .30 caliber rifle matches sponsored by the Michigan Rifle and Pistol Association and the Michigan National Guard have been set for October 2 and 3 at Camp Grayling.

The LaGrow family gathered at Hartwick Pines, Sunday, for a picnic reunion. Sixty-one people were on hand to enjoy the sumptuous food. The LaGrow family has lived in Grayling for the past thirty-five years. The father, Alex, passed away twelve years ago. The mother, Anna, is now living at Sand Lake but was unable to make the trip. Ebbon, the oldest son, was also unable to attend.

Mary Ann Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Long of Trenton, became the bride of John Hanson at 2:30 on Saturday afternoon, June 19. John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hanson of Mt. Pleasant and Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Silsby of Rosecommon called on Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel last Friday.

Weekend guests of Gerald Burns at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns were Mr. and Mrs. George Beauchamp and Jo Malinowski of Wayne University, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Brown of Pt. Huron stopped in Grayling Thursday. They were enroute home after visiting Mr. Brown's mother Mrs. P. L. Brown and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Strehl in East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin and Mr. and Mrs. George Granger left Friday to spend the week at their cabin on Bell Lake. George Granger Jr., is attending a three weeks course in instrumental music at Michigan State College, East Lansing.

Lawrence Bunker of the U.S. Navy is enjoying a 12 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunker. He is stationed at Great Lakes, Ill.

Among those attending the circus in Traverse City were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and daughter, Gloria; Emil Giegling and daughters, Emily and Sue; Patricia Bishaw, Nancy Hoelsi, Ernest Hoelsi and Jim Douglas. Mrs. Hoelsi spent the day in Traverse City.

Joyce Bugby of Detroit, Al Marquette of Saginaw and Mr. Marquart of Detroit spent the 4th of July weekend visiting the E. E. Bugby family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller and family of Detroit are spending two weeks vacation at Danish Landing. Mrs. Miller is a sister of Joseph Lennert. Joy Lennert accompanied the Millers to Grayling after spending three weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lennert.

Mrs. Fannie Bissonette and Miss Eleanor Atkinson of Flint spent the weekend as guests of the Harry Hedricks at Lake Marquette.

The Henry Bradleys are the owners of a new five passenger Pontiac sedan coupe, purchased from Parson & Lamm, the Pontiac sales and service.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Marlatt of Detroit were guests of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Strobe and the Edwin LeButt family over the weekend.

Bill Evans, Sr., and daughter, Nina May of Flint were weekend guests of the Elmer Birdsalls.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry of Detroit and Melvin Culham and family of Milford were weekend guests at the William Larus's home.

Guests of the Jack Wades were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sharpe and children and Mr. Sharpe's mother, Mrs. H. C. Sharpe all of Toledo.

Miss Donna Perry entertained a number of young people at a wienie roast at Hartwick Pines on July 5th in celebration of her birthday.

The Fly Rod given away by the Frederic Sportsman's Club was won by Llynw Doremire of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Feldhauser of Virginia were here to spend a few days with his father, Charles Feldhauser.

Several good catches of fish are reported, the one you read about but seldom see was a German Brown trout weighing 11½ pounds, 29¾ inches long and was caught in the Manistee River, 5 miles west of Frederic by William Goff of Battle Creek.

Robert W. Feldhauser and Ted Baynham have been spending a great deal of time searching for a spotted saddle horse that got away Saturday with a saddle on. He was last seen in the area south of Lovells-Frederic road between Levens and Petersons.

Mrs. Maud Bremner of Cedar Springs is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. V. Hartman in Lovells.

46 YEARS AGO —

July 9, 1925

John Parsons of Frederic is driving a fine new Buick sedan.

Claude Parker and family and H. Fairbotham and family spent the weekend with relatives here, driving up from Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ketzbeck of Detroit are spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doroh.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett and son, Maurice, motored to Pinconning and spent the 4th at the home of Mrs. Bennett's sister, Mrs. O. J. Smith. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Mrs. Earl Keeley and daughter, Evelyn and Mrs. Lyle Bennett of Flint.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Akers at T-Town, a son, on the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredhorn McDermid and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barnes and children and Miss Mae McDermid and friend, Mr. Thomas of Flint, visited over the 4th with the David White family.

Mrs. Susie Barnes and son, William of Battle Creek have arrived in Grayling to spend the summer with the former's daughter, Mrs. Paul Feldhauser, at their down river home.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Gerard of Flint who have been visiting at the Charles Blair home, returned home Tuesday.

Fire was discovered at about 11:30 in the morning, Monday in the woodshed in the rear of Sorensen Bros. furniture store and was burning fiercely and with dense smoke. The fire department responded very promptly and the flames were quickly extinguished. The damage was slight, about ten cords of good hard wood being destroyed. The fire was caused by a spark from a rubbish burner.

Henry Peterson of Marlette, at one time foreman for the Salling Hanson Co., in one of their mills, was in Grayling Monday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Jorgenson (Helen Stephan) are happy over the arrival of a ten pound son at Grayling Mercy Hospital, Thursday. He will be known as Johannes John Jorgenson.

The wedding of Miss Margie Esther Regan, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Regan of this city to Raymond Balheim, took place in Flint, Tuesday afternoon of last week at the home of the groom's mother. Following the wedding dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Balheim left for Buffalo, where they are spending their honeymoon.

Miss Gladys Comer of Wolverine is spending the summer at the Charles Bradley home.

LOVELLS HOME EXTENSION STUDY GROUP

The Michigan Cooperative Extension Service sponsored their annual "College Week for Women" June 15th through 18th on the Michigan State University campus. The conference was held at Hubbard Hall with about 800 women in attendance.

The theme this year was "Living Creatively with Change".

Classes were interesting and varied. Some of those taken by the Lovells Group were Trends in Health Care; Living Space, Indoors and Out; The Consumer and Environment; Drugs; Clothes; Fascination to Function; For a Better Environment; and Michigan Highway Safety.

On Wednesday afternoon, there were bus tours to Abrams Planetarium, Kresge Art Center, Museum, Beaumont Tower Carillon and the State Capitol.

Attending from the Lovells Extension Group were: first timers, Peggy Benedict and Connie Kaiser, both on scholarships; Evelyn Bates, who has attended 14 years; Margie Harwood, 11 years; Mildred Johnson, 17 years; Sophie Koernke, 10 years; Hazel Koernke, 13 years. Two guests also attended, Ruth Caid, two years, and Josie Mercurio, three years.

It was an informative and enjoyable conference and most members hope to go again next year.

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By Elmer E. White

"Exemptions Discouraged"

Any children born in Michigan to families who already have two or more children won't be counted as tax exemptions much longer if Senator Gilbert E. Bursley, R-Ann Arbor, has his way. He introduced legislation in the Senate which would allow a family to claim tax exemptions only for their first and second child. The bill is a portion of the program being pushed by those who think the nation must achieve a "zero population growth" — if other attempts to keep the environment clean are to mean anything.

The bill has no chance of passage this year. But, it falls in the classification of ideas that might be just a few years ahead of their time and should be watched — much the same as issues like open housing 10 years ago.

Similar legislation has been introduced in Congress by Sens. Robert Packwood, R-Ore., and Charles Percy, R-Ill.

Bursley's proposal would not be retroactive to affect families which already have three or more children. It would, in its present form, disqualify children born into a family after Dec. 31, 1972, from being used as income tax deductions if the family already had two other children.

A family could adopt children and count them as exemptions, however, even when they became the third or more children. And, the family which had twins or triplets or larger multiple births could count all of the children as exemptions if the family did not already have two children before the births.

"Government can no longer irresponsibly encourage couples to have large families," Bursley said in explaining why he has introduced the proposal.

If tax exemptions are an incentive for having large families, the trend must be reversed. With the current population growth rate, we must recognize that three children will more than replace the adult population, even taking into account those adults who have no children.

"Solutions to our most pressing problems — including overcrowded classrooms, environmental pollution, transportation, housing and employment opportunities — will be much more difficult to achieve with a continued galloping increase in our population.

"We have given exemptions to families who increase demands in each of these areas and have indirectly required taxpayers who have no children to bear the tax burden and pay the increased expenses. With the passage of these bills, the parents would pay a more realistic portion of the cost to society.

"Strange Bedfellows Dept." Gov. William G. Milliken has been treating some men who normally fall on the other side of the political fence from him with some unusual kindness in recent months.

It all started last winter, when the Governor named former Deputy Secretary of State Will-

iam Hettiger director of the State Department of Administration. Hettiger is a life-long Democrat and the appointment raised quite a few eyebrows, since the job is a well paying one usually reserved for dissolving political debts.

More recently, the Governor had some very kind words for outgoing State AFL-CIO G. S. Scholle, a man who has been a power in the Michigan Democratic Party for years and who has never been known to feel kindly toward Republicans.

Milliken told the AFL-CIO convention that Scholle "has the ability to cut through to the heart of a problem and the courage to tackle the problem once it has been identified." And he told Scholle that he plans to call on him for help in working on the state's problems "as often as you will let me."

Not long after that, the Governor's office issued a release saying Livonia Mayor Edward H. McNamara had been appointed to the Governor's Special Commission on Land Use.

The release forgot to say that McNamara was the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor last fall and that he worked all day to knock the Governor out of office.

It said McNamara's "achievements and expertise in municipal and regional planning background will contribute significantly to the commission's efforts."

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Lovells By Mrs. Ruth Caldwell

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morse of Detroit spent a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Venus.

Elmer Gerhard is a patient at Mercy Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Velma Jackson, who passed away at Mercy Hospital, Friday. Mrs. Jackson has been a resident of our community for several years.

Harold Richard was transferred to St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor Saturday where he will undergo surgery. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sova of Midland visited relatives over the holidays.

Anyone having furniture, appliances or other articles that they cannot use, call any member of the Cheerful Givers Club and they will pick them up.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weaver and family of Kawkawlin spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet Thursday evening at the club room.

Mrs. Sophie Koerke returned home from Saline Tuesday after visiting her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stalker and getting acquainted with her new grandson, Shawn Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kohlman and son of Detroit visited relatives over the holidays.

Allen Radunzell of Greenville is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson.

THREE EBSENS PLAY FAMILY ROLES AT CCP

Stage and screen star Buddy Ebsen, popular recently as Jed on "The Beverly Hillbillies", his attractive wife Nancy and their talented daughter Bonnie, will enact the same real-life relationships in the family comedy, "Take Her, She's Mine" at the Cherry County Playhouse in Traverse City from July 13 thru 20. In this two-act play by Phoebe and Henry Ephron, the Ebsens' stage roles will be identical to their offstage roles.

Ebsen has always had an affection for the stage, taking every break possible between film assignments to return to performing for a live audience.

Nancy Ebsen dates her acting career back to Vassar College. While raising five children, she managed numerous forays into theatre, notably for the Newport Harbor Children's Theatre Guild and the National Educational Theatre Association. Daughter Bonnie studied acting at Arizona's Prescott College and is now taking classes in the Los Angeles area. She has performed with the Costa Mesa Players and toured with a group from UCLA. She also models and performs in television commercials.

The Ebsen family stars in "Take Her, She's Mine" at the Cherry County Playhouse July 13-20. The special performance schedule, in effect for Cherry Festival Week Only, is week-nights at 9:00, Saturday at 6:00 and 9:30, and Sunday at 7:30. There is a Wednesday matinee at 2:30. Call 947-9560 for information and reservations.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Richard Baker of Grayling are the proud parents of a son, Paul Edward born on July 3 and weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Frederic By Abbie Madill

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sanders on their 56th wedding anniversary.

Al Carrievue, who died suddenly last week was buried in Frederic Saturday. He had lived here in Frederic at Mill Town and spent his boyhood here and attended Frederic school. The community extends sympathy to the family.

The Woman's Club will have the annual picnic the 15th at the park. We are inviting the new residents to join us and get acquainted. Bring a dish to pass and your own service.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kaiser of Flint spent the holiday with Elvenc Kaiser. The Art Wellmans of Grand Blanc visited Elvenc and were at their cabin at Blue Lake.

Mrs. Ruth Payne received a bad eye injury while at her cabin at Red Head Lake Saturday.

There was an accident in front of the Burke home on 612 Saturday. The drivers were taken to Grayling by ambulance.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Jerry Myers. Thanks to all who donated and worked at the funeral dinner.

Mrs. Minnie Cameron has received word of the serious illness of her sister, Hattie Woodburn who is in the Tawas City Hospital.

The Albert Madills held a picnic at their home Sunday. About 40 attended. Those from out of town were the Henry, Dick and Albert Shaw families of Flint, the Louis Finns and Fred Mitchell of Bay City and the Dick Thomas's of Lonsburg, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Landosky and family of Midland spent the holidays with the Homer Dumonts.

Frederic Community Picnic, July 25, at 1:00. Bring dish to pass and own place setting. Donations accepted for the New Community Family Service being planned for Grayling. Everyone welcome. Please come.

Frederic Hobby Club July 25 is the Community Picnic at the Frederic Park. Donations will be accepted for the Community Family Service Center to be established in Grayling. Bring a dish to pass and your own table setting. Everyone is welcome.

The club steak fry is July 11th at the Sportsmen's dam at 5 o'clock.

Dixie Riggs and Barbara Verlinde will hold the next meeting, July 12th, at the Sportsmen's Club. Anyone interested in joining the club, please come to the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many cards, kindnesses and expressions of sympathy shown to our family in the recent illness and death of our loved one. A special thanks to the nurses and Dr. Henig and Dr. Blaha and the entire hospital staff.

The family of Arno L. Plagens

Services Held For Mrs. Velma Jackson

Funeral services for Mrs. Velma Jackson, 52, who passed away at Mercy Hospital Friday were held Monday at two o'clock at Sorenson Funeral Home. Rev. Paul Frederick officiated and a burial was in Mount Rest Cemetery, St. Johns.



These two smiling Paraguayan boys are on their way to recovery from leprosy, thanks to drugs supplied by the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF). Their sister (right) is healthy. UNICEF aid has dramatically reduced the incidence of leprosy in Paraguay, where one in every 400 children suffered from the dread disease a decade ago.



In Zambia's Luapula Province, this baby is thriving on protein-fortified porridge provided by UNICEF, the United Nations Children's Fund. Until UNICEF helped Zambia establish "under five" clinics to improve nutrition, four of every 10 children of this Central African nation died of malnutrition.

I guess I'm just not cut out for big-time journalism. I mean like the New York Times, and secret Pentagon documents, and charges filed in the federal courts, and stuff like that.

For example, I'm not the least bit certain that if I had been in possession of those secret McNamara Papers about the conduct of the Viet Nam War that I would have published them at all. The New York Times had them, and did indeed publish them, of course.

But that's pretty high level material, involving many nations and several presidents, and years of bombing and fighting, and thousands of deaths and casualties.

The subsequent hassle with the federal government over the propriety of the Times' action makes good fodder for other newspaper people, and for constitutionalists; but I sometimes wonder whether the common people, so to speak, are all that concerned.

Another hint that I'm not cut out for journalism with worldwide impact is that even after this lapse of considerable time, I still don't know how I feel about whether the McNamara Papers should have been made public at all. Instinctively, I'm inclined to side with the

newspaper world, and contend that the people have a right to know, and therefore the Times had a right to publish.

But I can also see some logical arguments on the other side of the coin—importantly what effect the leak might have on future relations with other countries.

As for the niff-naw about who was to blame for what, and when, way back when we kept going deeper and deeper into the quagmire of Southeast Asia—that's rather irrelevant at this point, it seems to me.

But my point is that any editorialist worth his salt on a world wide scale should come up with an instant opinion on the rightness or wrongness of the Times' actions, and the government's counter-actions.

Sorry, gentle readers, I still don't know how I feel about it. Which means, of course, that I have no future in the national columning field.

Heck, I still haven't decided how I feel about the conviction of Lt. Calley; that's no simple matter, either.

The more complicated the issue—and both the McNamara Papers and the Calley case present some of the most complicated questions you'd

ever want to run across—the easier it seems to be for many editorialists to rush to judgment—and to print, yet.

Many people demand instant expert opinion on basic complicated issues, even before the questions are all raised, in some cases.

And worse yet, many editorialists with a printing press at their disposal or five minutes of air time yawning to be filled, can see a demand for editorial judgment from the public, whether the demand exists or not.

So it looks like the big picture journalism will have to get along with its Cronkites and Restons and Buckleys and Reasoners... and without me.

My cup of tea obviously is not world-impact journalism; I can't cut through to the heart of the question of whether the public should have access to secret documents, outlining our government's involvement in an ongoing international mess; or where rests ultimate responsibility for the conduct of a war—with the participant, or the commanders, or the planners or with whom.

Instead, I'll have to stick with community journalism. The issues aren't nearly as complex, and judgment comes much more readily.

Besides, nobody's asked me to write a national column, anyway.



by PETER G. HAMMOND
Executive Director, National
Coordinating Council on Drug Education

Attitudes toward methadone vary widely. Some look upon it as a wonder drug which allows addicts to function in a near normal state. Others see it as another enslavement for minorities.

Methadone, a synthetic narcotic developed by the Germans during World War II as a substitute pain killer for morphine, is used in two general ways: (1) For detoxification administered under a physician's care in gradually decreasing oral doses; in a matter of a week or two the dose is cut back until the individual is drug-free; (2) in maintenance programs such as that directed by doctors Marie Nyswander and Vincent Dole in New York which starts an addict on a low daily dose and generally increases the dosage until the individual's tolerance level is reached. At that level, addicts do not feel the "hunger" for heroin; nor do they feel a "high" from using heroin.

Given orally, methadone itself brings on no high; so that the user can hold a job, and live quite normally. The mystique of the needle is gone. The effects of methadone last approximately twenty-four hours compared to heroin, which lasts about four hours. Methadone is much cheaper than heroin and it can be legally dispensed under federal regulations.

Some people feel that personality disorders underlie drug addiction and that these disorders cannot be treated if one is "drugged" with methadone. Others object to the required frequent visits to the clinics, and the follow-up checks that must be made on methadone patients.



by MARY LEE

Grandma's old fashioned kitchen may seem quaint and cozy in retrospect. But to grandma it was both a chore and a bore. It was generally big and cumbersome, poorly lighted and ventilated, colorless and hard to clean.

Unfortunately, there are still too many kitchens around that lack modern essentials. That's why kitchen remodeling is high on the home renovation list, and why most homemakers feel that it is worth the time and money needed to put charm and efficiency into an old kitchen.

Among the suggestions given by experts in remodeling are the following pointers:

- Always choose good quality appliances. They not only last longer but have more convenience features.

- Plan work areas for top efficiency so that range, refrigerator and dishwasher are no more than seven feet apart if possible.

- Be sure lighting is adequate, and windows afford plenty of natural light as well as good ventilation.

- Check electrical wiring to be sure it can handle safely all the kitchen appliances you install.

- Don't overlook the new convenience accessories such as single handle faucets, ice water taps, countertop outlets and built-in towel dispensers.

- Last, but far from least, let your kitchen be a cheery area for family gatherings. If possible make it do double duty with a desk section for letter writing or hobby work. You also might create a laundry center by using a room divider panel.

your week ahead

BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: July 10 to July 17

ARIES
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19
With the Moon moving into the sign of Aries, you face a week of playing make believe - a week of trading off many tomorrows for today.

TAURUS
Apr. 20 - May 20
It seems as though you are going to be too dependent on your associates. According to your chart, it's advisable that you hold to your decisions, and - go it alone!

GEMINI
May 21 - June 20
Hold up on the self-analysis, Gemini! Apparently, you are shaping up into a personality that the opposite sex regards as - a walking contradiction.

MOONCHILD
June 21 - July 22
Getting your thoughts and points across, according to star patterns, seems to be your drawback. Incidentally, you are caught up in the past, far too much, to change.

LEO
July 23 - Aug. 22
Romantic overtures will come your way. Also, playing a game of "cat and mouse" with a member of the opposite sex, is indicated.

VIRGO
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22
This cosmic cycle could find you in the state of systemized self deceit. So, stop weighing everything you do on the scale of: What a member of the opposite sex thinks.

LIBRA
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22
Minor details and bothersome routine dominate the scheme of things for many under your sign. Others will be involved in secret matters that will confirm existing gossip.

SCORPIO
Oct. 23 - Nov. 21
In one form or another, you will have to lose before you win. Paradoxical! In other words, good fortune takes many strange avenues.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21
You are inclined to look for trouble, during the present cosmic cycle. If your attitude continues, you will find it - in the form of the opposite sex.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19
Don't freeze up, Capricorn! It seems as though over concern about the future has given you a bad case of unwarranted pessimism.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18
Present planetary configurations indicate that a very interesting bit of information concerning your job, task or project, should be on the wing.

PISCES
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20
Many under your sign will learn a lesson, this week, that won't be forgotten, easily. So, update and check into the activities of those persons surrounding you.

PERSONALITY PROFILE

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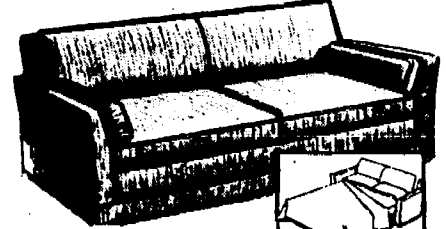
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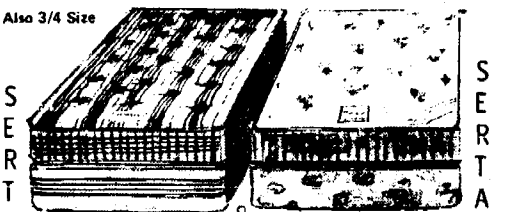


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Here's word from a lady in Louisville: "My husband soon will be forced to retire because of a company age policy. He isn't ready to give up his job. I am not ready to have him underfoot seven days a week. He is a skilled craftsman, but isn't likely to find employment, full or part-time, as there is no other company in this area that offers work in his line. He says he wants to go up East, or out West, where he feels he can at least find part-time work. Our home is paid for and I have no intention of giving it up. I have club activities and other interests. I enjoy them, so I don't want to go to some strange place where I know no one at all. I don't think, when my husband re-

tires, that we will be able to live for us." Retirement, of course, is not a trouble-free time. Most people will continue to have the same problems they have always known. Retirement does create some new situations, or aggravate existing ones. Nonetheless, whether problems are old or new, people who have worked out their problems during their working years will work them out for the retirement period. When there is a conflict of wants and interests, there must be cooperation between husband and wife. When there is cooperation — and consideration — things usually work out pretty well.

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Do they still play baseball?



IT'S FUN ... Vivacious Margie Lester shows how she feels about summer as she races through the fine sands along Miami Beach, Fla.

"If It Fitz ..."

Bury me not

By Jim Fitzgerald

And then I wrote ... A Massachusetts man has been buried beneath the 18th green at his favorite golf course. I guess he was dead.

If I am ever buried on a golf course it will be because I committed suicide there and no one would drag my body away.

Golf is an incredibly stupid game. Hit a ball and then look for it and then hit it again. I don't know why I play. Tennis is really my game but I can never get a court. It has been 24 years since I played tennis which will give you an idea how crowded the courts are — and how hard I've tried to get one.

I often tell people I was once tennis champ of Port Huron. Usually, I tell them after I play golf with them. I want them to understand that golf is too slow a game for an athlete of my vigorous abilities. Any old man can play golf, I tell them with a sneer as I pay what I owe for losing 18 holes, 3 balls and 1 friend who was my partner.

"Yes," the golfers with my money usually say, "but fat old men can't play tennis so it is easy to see why you switched to golf."

That's another thing I've discovered about golf — a lot of wise guys play it. They are always saying things that upset my game and my stomach.

For instance, I slam my usual drive smack down the center, at least 30 feet. "That won't hurt you," says Harvey Hustler. What he means is that lousy drive won't kill me, it will just leave me maimed and limping. It is the loudest shot he ever saw and 15 more just like it might get me on the green which is that pretty patch of grass with the hole in it in case I've never been there before.

Another thing Harvey often says is, "You had the distance." This means I should have hit the ball 200 yards and, by golly, I did hit it 200 yards. The trouble is I should have hit it north but I hit it south.

The reverse of this comes when Harvey says, "You hit it right on line." This means I pounded that ball straight at the hole, 350 yards away. But the ball went only 20 yards.

And at the end of the game as he takes my money, Harvey explains that I got a lot of tough breaks out there today, while he was lucky, and if a couple of putts had dropped for me it would have been a different story, fella, and my game is

getting better all the time and I'm sure to get my money back next week.

Harvey knows it wouldn't help my game if I were Arnold Palmer's little brother. He knows if a long putt had dropped for me I would have got 7 on the hole, instead of 8. He knows I have been playing the stupid game for 15 years and I still address the ball as if I'm afraid it will attack my right foot. He knows all these things but he still mouths the bologna for fear I might quit playing him and he'd have to get his booze money by some more honorable means — such as pawing his mother's wheelchair.

The only time Harvey's language gets precise is when he asks for my score on a hole.

"Let's see," I say, and then I get a faraway look in my eyes and move my lips slowly as my mind backtracks through 2 traps, the right rough, the woods on the left, a rockpile, the freeway, the bushes by the pro shop and that lake where 2 fishermen threatened to sue. "I think I got a 5."

"You got an 11," Harvey says, and writes it down — in ink.

I don't know what bugs me worse, his fountain pen or the money changer he wears on his belt.

But back to the Massachusetts man. I wasn't kidding. His name was Edward Faber and his ashes are buried beneath the 18th green at Stow Acres Country Club in Stow, Mass. Cremation was necessary because the greenskeeper didn't want lumps in the green.

Faber requested the unusual burial site in his will. "He just loved the game so much and this is what he really wanted," his widow explained.

Owners of the club are so enthusiastic about the idea they plan to erect a plaque to mark the grave. The possibilities do appear promising. Why not a grave or two at every green, and perhaps some by the traps and rough? A guy wouldn't mind attending a funeral if he could chip up onto the burying surface. Of course, the undertaker would have to add a few services — such as caddies for pallbearers — but I'm sure all such problems could be solved with a minimum of keening.

Just so long as slow funerals allow faster funerals to play through.

Onward and Upward.

Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q) I overestimated my income when I filed my Declaration of Estimated tax in April. What should I do?

A) Use the amended computation schedule on page 2 of Form 1040-ES to take care of any substantial changes in your estimated income or deductible expenses which may have occurred since you filed your declaration. Show the amended estimated tax on line 1 of the next declaration voucher which is due, along with the payment of your revised second installment, on June 15.

Q) I will earn about \$1,000 during school vacation this summer. Will my employer deduct withholding for income tax from this salary?

A) Your employer must withhold income tax from your salary unless you have filed a Form W-4E with him.

Form W-4E, Withholding Exemption Certificate, is a new form that may be filed by an employee who had no tax liability for the preceding year and expects none for the current year.

By filing this form, you may exempt your wages from withholding of income tax. However, your employer must continue to withhold social security tax.

Q) When will I receive my refund check?

A) It normally takes 5-6 weeks, but it may take longer if you mailed your return near the April 15 deadline. Delays will also occur if the return is incomplete or inaccurate.

If you have not received your refund or a letter explaining the reason for the delay within 10 weeks after mailing your return, contact your local IRS office or write the IRS office where you filed your return. Give all details including your social security number, current address, and the approximate date the return was filed.

Q) My daughter received a \$250 award because she was the best student in her graduating class. Is this award taxable?

A) Prizes are not taxable if they are awarded in recognition of past accomplishments in religious, charitable, scientific, artistic, educational, literary, or civic fields. In addition, the recipient must have been selected without action on his part and must not be expected to render any further services.

The prize would be taxable if your daughter had to perform a specific act such as writing an essay or doing a project rather than on the basis of her overall educational record.

Q) My son, who is a college student, will probably earn over \$650 during summer vacation. Does this mean that I can't claim him as an exemption this year?

A) Not necessarily. If your son is a full-time student during some part of each of five months of the year, the gross income test does not apply. If you contribute more than one-half of your son's total support for the year and if the other dependency tests are met, you may claim him as a dependent even though he has income of \$650 or more during the year.

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Jack Pine's Stump



AMTRAK, the government-run intercity train operation, may not service cities such as Cleveland, Ohio or Grayling, Mich., but we don't need it here. After all, we've got Little Smokey.

The Grayling Booster Club, an organization of fun-loving characters who expend great efforts towards helping the athletic programs in the community, are on their way to the second goal now — the improvement of the Little League field. The work has to be started this late summer or early fall to be meaningful next year. Basically, it means a decent watering system, discing and reseeding the field and that sort of thing. Aside from the weekly activities of the group, the Boosters have been selling charter individual and business memberships — all of which helps. The first dinner held at the Legion was an outstanding success. People were turned away. Now there's a new dinner coming up — Saturday the tenth. That's this Saturday. Spaghetti dinner — all you can eat — for just two bucks. From six p.m. until eight. They promise plenty of food this time. So much so, in fact, that there might even be bottled spaghetti sauce for sale after it's all over. Plan to attend. It's help for the kids, and when you help a kid you help yourself.

Bill Sparks, Bear Sales Manager, says that golf is a lot of walking, interrupted by disappointment and bad arithmetic.

All that clearing going on out by the Penguin Inn means progress. South of the Inn will be the new Holiday Inn and north of the Penguin is the new Michigan Consolidated Gas building. But now the Penguin stands out like a Moose on Main Street.

According to the Houghton Line, published in Philadelphia, the best way to serve shrimps is on your knees.

"Chum" Longworth is home again, recovering from his recent illness. He isn't back to work yet at the Chamber of Commerce office, but is making all sorts of grumbling complaints about his enforced rest. But I'll bet that he'll manage a couple of hours one of these days soon. We need him. You know, in a job like he's got, there aren't many thanks and the results aren't easy to measure. It's only when all of a sudden he isn't there that the value of his contributions become suddenly apparent.

From somewhere I stole the quote that a politician is a man whose ideas are disagreeable to you. If his ideas agree with yours, he's a statesman.

Caddis fishing in this area is about over, thank goodness. I don't know why I, and countless others, go out night after night and try to struggle to work the next day. Well, I really do know why. But I sure am glad when the necessity of night fishing is gone. Personally, I prefer to fish in the summer days when you can cast a fly into some dark corner and watch all hell break loose. Of course, I usually lose the fly, but that's to be expected. At any rate, I'm glad

EDITOR'S MAIL BOX

July 1, 1971

Dear Mr. Madison,
Here I am at Michigan State, studying music. I never thought that I would be spending one of my summers here.

Every day I learn something new and I meet another person. The directors and teachers are really helping me to realize what an interesting field music is. All of the kids here are very friendly and lots of fun.

I think my two weeks here will be an experience that will help me in several areas. Of course my music ability will increase, but also I will have more experience in meeting and getting to know people. And when I go to college, I will be prepared for dorm living.

I'd like, at this time, to thank all the members of the Grayling Band Boosters, and the people of Grayling for the scholarship that made my two weeks here possible. I'd also like to thank my parents who helped in many other ways.

Thanks again,
Sincerely,
Holly Knubbs

Pollution Is Killing

night fishing is over — and I can hardly wait until the middle of June next year.

One good way for a columnist to get into trouble is to say something bad about somebody. But absolutely the best way is to say something good. One can get accused of all sorts of things over an article such as the one which appeared about the Shoppenagon Inn. Such articles are not meant to say that competitive businesses are not equally deserving. The only trouble is space and time. And given enough of both, I should eventually cover every place I like. That would include almost the whole county.

Anyway, not too many towns north of Bay City can offer the variety of weekend entertainment Grayling does. Like for instance the group at the Hotel which plays mainly standard-type tunes. For those who like country-western, a live group performs at the Wag-On-Inn. And if you like modern rock-type music, there's the Bear Mountain Lounge. That doesn't leave much else except classical. Maybe some enterprising person will start a Chopin Chop House or a Beethoven Beer Hall.

Women of the Moose

I, as your publicity chairman, for the coming year June 30, 1971 to June 30, 1972, will try and keep up with the news, of what is going on in the Women of the Moose.

Our Senior Regent Maggie Miller, has her appointed officers selected. They are as follows: head guide, Marlene Lippard; assistant guide, Marge Welch; Argus, Diana Hill; Sentinel, Cheryl Lozon.

We also have 10 chairmen, who can help a lot by stepping in on the month their chapter night program is due, have a get together, have a dinner, games for their month. They can ask the women, whoever they can work best with, to help make it a real affair.

Try and let your publicity chairman know well in advance, so it can be made known in what, where and when, also how much. That makes for a better turn out at all events. The more there are, the more fun all will have.

Ruth Towsley, publicity

Use Avalanche Classifieds

Pollution is killing beauty. And life. All kinds of life. Hundreds of acres of magnificent pines and orange trees have been wiped out by smog and car exhaust on the West Coast. And on the opposite coast, the Philadelphia zoo reports an increase of lung cancer among animals who spend their lives outdoors.

The zoo said the increase in lung cancer was especially pronounced among water fowl. Air pollution is pinpointed as the culprit because pollutant particles fall to the bottom of ponds where birds feed. The birds are breathing and — literally — eating pollution. Lung cancer rates are also up in lions, otters, skunks, and other animals.

There is no place to hide. For trees, flowers, animals, or people.

A recent article in Science suggests — on the basis of considerable research — that if air pollution in major urban areas could be cut by 50 percent there would be a 25 to 50 percent reduction in morbidity and mortality due to chronic bronchitis. At least among humans. And a 25 percent reduction in mortality from lung cancer.

The chief cause of air pollution is car exhaust. Now many citizen groups are pressing for more and better mass transit. For better bicycle routes. For gasoline without deadly pollutants. For pollution control devices in cars that really work. Concerned citizens are getting organized to try to salvage what beauty — and life — is left. To join the fight against air pollution, check with your local tuberculosis and respiratory association. It's a matter of life and breath.

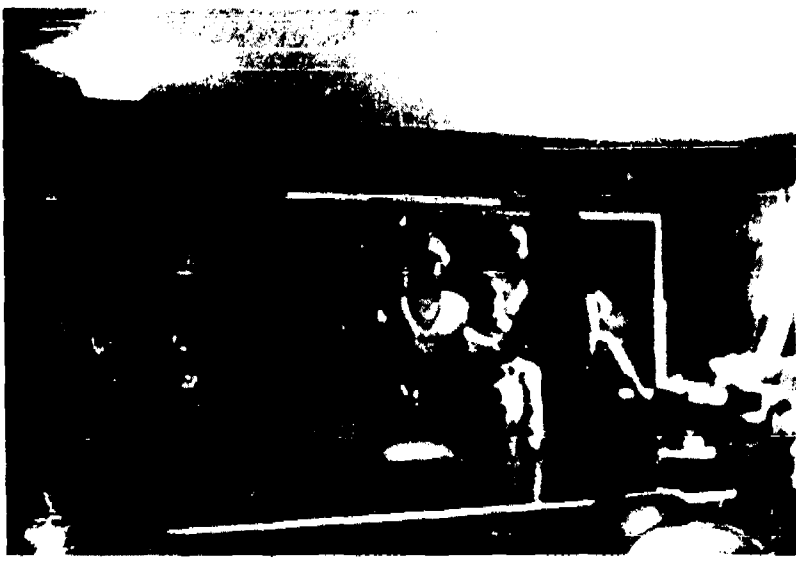
Summer Camp For Hard Of Hearing

A camp for the deaf and hard of hearing is to be held at Grass Lake, Michigan (near Jackson) from August 8-15, 1971. The camp is for all ages. However, children under nine years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

Campers may attend for the full week or for any part of the week. Many activities will be provided, including recreation, naderant, a banquet, etc.

All deaf or hard of hearing persons are welcome and are invited to attend.

For a free brochure giving further information, you may write to: Ray L. Jones, 36970 S. Huron, New Boston, Mich. 48164.



BOY SCOUTS HELP SENIOR CITIZENS — Jim Failing, son of Jim and Pat Failing, Senior patrol leader of Troop 77 and Dean Molnar, son of Joe and Juanita Molnar, the Junior assistant Scout Master, were guests of the senior citizens at their noon potluck on June 30th. They came to present a check for \$32.00 to the senior citizens to use for bus repairs. This was money the scouts had earned cleaning the river and in their Archery booth.

BITS O' TALK

Micky Kellogg and children, Ronnie and Jeana returned home to Sandusky, Ohio, after spending a week with the Howard Benedicts. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vore and two daughters left to go to visit Mrs. Benedict's father, George Skinner in Ludington, enroute to their home in Pontiac. Randy Maser of Lincoln Park spent a week here as guest of Ronny Benedict.

Bill and Nancy Moans of Lansing spent weekend before last with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whaley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook and baby of Lansing spent the 4th of July weekend here with the Ed Lowries.

Mr. and Mrs. George McEvers and family left Thursday of last week for New York. They stopped in Bay City enroute to drop off their daughter Jennifer and Rita's niece Lenette, to stay with Rita's parents, the Henry Lukes. They went on to Rochester, N.Y. to visit George's sister and husband, Pat and Doug Fremow. They also planned on seeing an old army buddy of George's while there. They planned on being gone for a week.

Phil Galli and Bob Byorick of Middletown, N. J. visited Billie Bovee at the home of her parents weekend before last.

Frank Decker is home again after having been a patient in the V.A. Hospital in Saginaw.

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General Specifications Base Bid

—Rigid frame steel building 120 ft. wide by 63 ft. deep with 16 ft. eave to be built on owners foundation (American Steel or equal).

—Roof pitch 1:12.

—30 lb. live load, 25 lb. wind load.

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—Building shall have two interior columns (3 - 40 ft. spans).

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—One electric door opener.

—3 - 34" x 44" aluminum slide windows.

—2 - 3 x 7 ft. walk in doors.

—Capacity for 1 1/2 ton monorail.

—Owner will provide concrete floor, foundation, mechanical and electrical.

ALTERNATE BID — BUILDING SIZE 100 FT. WIDE BY 63 FT. BY 16 FT.

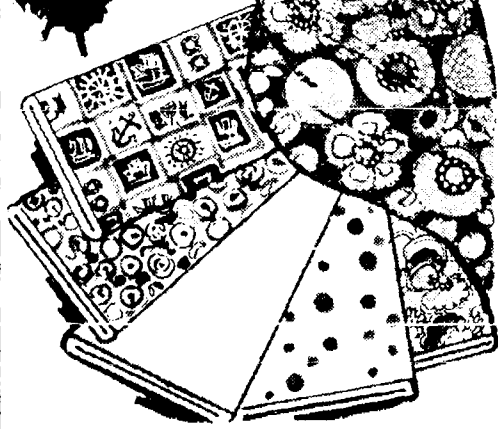
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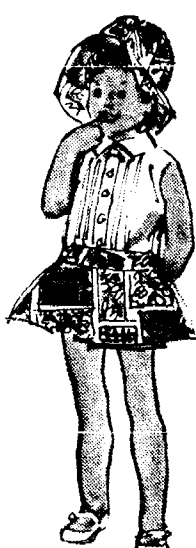
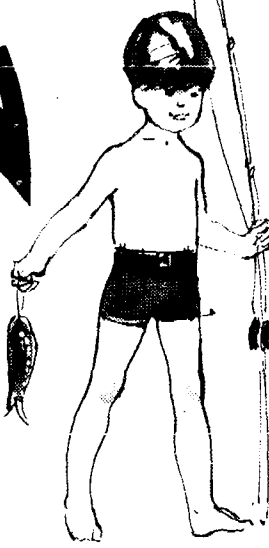


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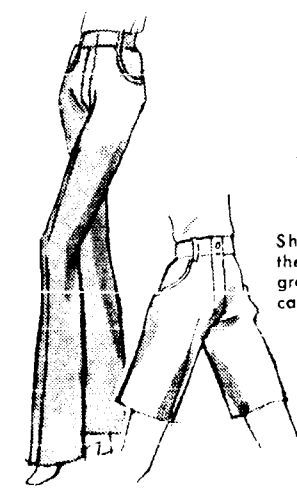
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GRIFIN, MED STUDENT SEEK BETTER HEALTH CARE—U.S. Senator Robert F. Griffin (R-Mich.) gave over an amendment to the Draft Extension Bill with Sol Edelstein, 24, a senior medical student at Wayne State University in Detroit. Edelstein approached Griffin with the idea, whereby physicians and osteopaths would be exempt from the military draft if they agreed to practice in ghetto and rural areas with critical health care needs for four years. Griffin offered the proposal as an amendment to the Draft Bill and it was adopted, 50 to 38. Senator Griffin noted, in arguing for the amendment, that there are nearly 5,000 American communities without doctors. He said he hopes his amendment will help relieve the crisis.

Applications For Naval Academy

ANNAPOLIS, MD. — Young men who will be seniors in high school next fall and who may be interested in a naval career starting with a free college education at the U. S. Naval Academy, may apply now for admission.

Applications for nominations for the class of 1976 which will enter the Academy next June should be sent to Michigan's two United States Senators, Philip A. Hart and Robert P. Griffin and your United States Congressional District Representatives as soon as possible. Applicants need not know their congressmen personally to apply.

Standards for admission are based on a good scholastic record, participation in extra-curricular activities and leadership potential, as well as physical fitness.

Further information on the Naval Academy program can be obtained from the U. S. Naval Academy Information Officer, Lt. Arthur R. Thayer, 408 17th Street, Grayling, Mich. 49738.



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Five County Students On CMU Honors List

Five Grayling students have been named to the academic honors list at Central Michigan University for the 1971 Spring semester.

To be eligible for the academic honors list, a student must have a cumulative grade average of "B" or better for his entire college career.

Included on the spring honors list are some 2,263 students from Michigan. Thirty-two students from states other than Michigan and three students from foreign countries are also on the honors list. The total enrollment at the University for the semester which ended May 15 was 13,239.

Local students named to the honors list are Patricia A. Christian, sophomore; Oliver W. Hayes, junior; Cheryl F. Holcomb, sophomore; Marjorie E. Johnson, senior; and Cynthia J. Weideman, senior.

Grayling Twp. Board Minutes

SPECIAL MEETING
June 22, 1971

Members Present: B. J. Fowler, Evelyn Gardiner, Earl Mathewson

Members Absent: R. M. Hayes, Clare Madsen, Jr.

Others Present: M. E. Harland, Lewis Johnson, Don McCurdy

Supervisor Fowler opened the meeting at 7:40 p.m. explaining that this meeting was called to review a zoning change in Sec. 2, T26N, R4W, on which a referendum petition has been filed. It was pointed out that an effort was being made to resolve the differences which brought about the referendum petition without expending \$400 to \$600 on an election. After considerable discussion, an agreement was reached whereby the following recommendations for rezoning of said property would be made:

All that part of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 2, T26N, R4W, lying W of the Ausable River and E of Ausable Trail further described as Lots 1 thru 8 of the preliminary plat of Northern Ausable Acres be Green Belt Zone.

All that part of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 2, T26N, R4W, lying W of Ausable Trail further described as Lots 9 thru 16 of the preliminary plat of Northern Ausable Acres be zoned R-1.

Further that the above described property in its entirety carry the following plat restrictions:

Residential Use

1. No house trailers, mobile homes, tents or other structure of a temporary character shall be placed on the premises. EXCEPTION: camp trailers belonging to the individual property owners may be parked on their property while not being used by their owners.

2. No animals, livestock or poultry of any kind shall be raised, bred, or kept on any property in this plat. EXCEPTION: Dogs, cats, or other household pets provided that they are not kept, bred, or maintained for any commercial purposes.

3. No multiple family dwelling units (two or more) are to be constructed or inhabited on any lot in this plat.

Dwelling Construction

1. All buildings erected upon any property shall be of frame, log, masonry, or similar grade construction. No dwelling erected upon any property shall be sided with roll roofing or siding. All foundations shall be of stone, brick, or cement construction forming a continuous solid wall beneath the building.

2. All toilet facilities must be inside the dwelling. All septic tanks and dry wells or drain fields shall be of such construction and location as to meet all the standards and requirements of all applicable regulating statutes, ordinances, and rulings of all governmental authorities.

Terms and Amendment

These covenants are hereby declared to be permanent covenants running with the land and shall be binding upon these parties and all parties claiming under them.

Enforcement

Enforcement shall be by proceedings at Law against any person or persons violating or attempting to violate any covenant, either to restrain violations thereof or to recover damages.

Road Commissioners Minutes

June 18, 1971

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Shook presiding. Members present, Commissioners R. E. Shook, and Harold T. Johnson, and Engineer Manager John M. Keir. Absent, Commissioner Wilbert E. Simpson and Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Shook, that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

An application was received from Consumers Power Company for a permit to erect 1 wood pole and 1 span of electric distribution line on Contour Drive, Sec. 28, T25N, R2W, South Branch Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commission.

Commissioner R. E. Shook offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, Section 12 (a) of Act 51, P.A. 1951, as amended, provides that the sum of \$5,000.00 per annum shall be returned to each county in which the county road commission employs a registered professional engineer for the major portion of the year, and

WHEREAS, Section 224.10 C.L. 1918 provides that the board of county road commissioners shall appoint a competent county highway engineer who shall make all surveys ordered by the board, prepare plans and specifications for all roads, bridges and culverts, and exercise such general supervision over all construction as will insure that the plans and specifications are strictly followed; and

WHEREAS, Section 338.568 C.L. provides that it is unlawful for any county road commission to engage in any public work involving professional engineering where the contemplated expenditure for the completed project exceeds \$5,000.00 unless the plans and specifications and estimates have been prepared by, and the construction executed under the direct supervision of a registered professional engineer; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General in an opinion issued July 2, 1945, has indicated that the board of county road commissioners must employ a county highway engineer who is a registered engineer where the contemplated cost of the completed project is in excess of \$5,000.00; and that he must perform the duties set forth in Section 224.10 and 338.568 of the Compiled Laws of 1948.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Road Commissioners of CRAWFORD County appoints JOHN M. KEIR, a Registered Professional Engineer, Certificate Number 15957, as the County Highway Engineer of CRAWFORD County, and that his duties shall be as defined by Sections 224.10 and 338.568 of the Compiled Laws of 1948.

Changed from \$2,000.00 to \$5,000.00, Act 20, P.A. 1970.

Supported by Commissioner Harold T. Johnson.

Yeas, Shook, Johnson.

Nays, None.

An application was received from Mildred Chew, Realtor, for an easement over County Road Commission property, description as follows: a right of way over the East 33 feet of the West 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 27, T28N, R3W, Maple Forest Township. The application was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

A discussion was held on all County roads leading to the Ausable River.

There being no further business a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

June 24, 1971

A special meeting, held to attend a regular meeting of the Vacationland Conference of Road Commissioners, Engineers and Superintendents held at Standish, Commissioner R. E. Shook and Engineer Manager John M. Keir attended the meeting.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Probate Court for the County of Crawford
Estate of Elvear C. Griffith, a minor.

It is Ordered that on July 12, 1971, at 11:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Norman K. Marsh, guardian, for allowance of his First and Final Account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: June 16, 1971.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus,
Judge of Probate

Norman K. Marsh
Attorney for the Estate
P.O. Box 547, Roscommon, Mich. 49068

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the District Court for the 3rd Judicial District
REALTY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
CHARLES R. BAUSLAUGH)
and PATRICIA BAUSLAUGH)
LAUGH, his wife)
Defendants.)

Order for Publication

At a session of said Court, held in the Crawford County Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Michigan, on the 17th day of June, 1971.

Present Hon. Francis L. Walsh
District Judge

Summons having been issued and returned that the Defendants cannot be found, it appearing by affidavit that the said Defendants reside in this State and that process for their appearance has been duly issued and the same could not be served by reason of the continued absence from their place of residence.

IT IS ORDERED that the said Defendants appear at the courtroom of the undersigned in the Crawford County Courthouse at 2:30 p.m. on the 20th day of July, A.D. 1971 and defend the Complaint in this suit or a judgment will be entered by default and this Order be served or published as required by statute.

The foregoing suit involves a forfeiture of land contract covering all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan described as:

East 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NE Fractional 1/4 Section 3, Town 26 North, Range 3 West.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be published in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper circulated within the County of Crawford, once each week for 4 successive weeks.

Francis L. Walsh
District Judge
24-1-8

LEGAL NOTICES
STATE OF MICHIGAN
Probate Court for the County of Crawford
Estate of Mary Catherine Sajdak, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on September 1, 1971, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of decedent are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn statements of their claims with the Court and serve a copy on Richard R. Sajdak and Clement C. Sajdak, Co-executors, P.O. Box 44, Frederic, Michigan 49733, prior to or at the time of such hearing. The Heirs of said deceased will be determined at said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: June 25, 1971.

Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

Nelson A. Miles
Attorneys for Executors
P.O. Box 303
Grayling, Michigan 49738

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Probate Court for the County of Crawford
Estate of Cecile Grace Hatch, deceased.

It is Ordered that on July 12, 1971, at 2:00 P.M., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Gloria N. Sampsel, Administratrix of the Estate of Cecile Grace Hatch, for allowance of her first and final account and for assignment of residue of the estate.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: June 18, 1971.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

Benson & Sabin
Attorney for Petitioner
243 Huron Street
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20. "Rube!"
21. Work on copy
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31. Supreme Being
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39. King (Sp.)
40. "de mer"
41. Excessively
42. Metric land measure
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2. Of Latin-derived languages
3. Asian river
4. Gold or nickel
5. Amusement
6. Wooden core
7. Tittle
8. Follow
11. Gainsay
12. Allude
16. Grassland
22. Identify
24. "Joey"
26. Augur
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District Court Action

The following appeared in District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh on Tuesday, June 29:

Anthony R. Valentini 18, of Dearborn Heights; Charles J. Misko, Jr. 18, Ronald J. Suder 19, Mark J. Santeau 19, James G. McCray 19, David L. Kistic 18, Mark T. Schneider 19, and Timothy Santeau 18, all of Detroit pleaded guilty to charges of minor in possession and paid fine and costs of \$64.00 each. They were arrested by city police and sheriff's officers on June 26.

Ricky Snyder 18, of Livonia, pleaded guilty to charges of minor in possession and careless driving and paid fine and costs of \$64.00 on the first count and \$34.00 on the second. Sheriff's department were the arresting officers on June 20.

Ann Thompson 55, of Grayling entered a plea of nolo contendere to a charge of larceny under \$100.00 and paid fine and costs of \$64.00. She was arrested on a citizen's complaint.

On July 1 the following appeared in court:

Clyde Berlinger 32, of Lewiston, pleaded guilty to possession of a fawn deer and paid fine and costs of \$34.00. He was arrested by the Conservation Dept. on June 28.

Clifford Beck 23, of Frederic, was found guilty of assault and battery by court trial and was assessed fine and costs of \$50.00 or five days in jail. He had entered a plea of not guilty at his arraignment on April 27.

Mark Shultz 18, of Roscommon, who had demanded preliminary examination on a charge of rape at his arraignment on May 4 appeared in court. The first count was dismissed and a second count of contributing to the delinquency of a minor was added. He pleaded guilty to the second count and sentencing was set for July 15.

A charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor against Michael McGillis 17, of Roscommon, was dismissed by the prosecution following investigation. He had stood mute at his arraignment on May 6.

Rocky Sentell 17, of St. Helen, who had also stood mute at his arraignment on May 6 to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, entered a plea of guilty. Sentencing was set for July 15.

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OBITUARIES

Viril K. Sunday Dies Suddenly

Viril K. Sunday, 71, passed away suddenly on Thursday, July 1. He was born in Antwerp, Ohio May 30, 1900. He was a retired plumber and a member of the Grayling Moose Lodge 1162.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Frederick officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. A memorial service was held at the funeral home on Friday evening.

Mr. Sunday is survived by his wife, Wilma; three sons, Jack Davis and Gerald White, both of Detroit, and Robert Sunday of Southfield; two daughters, Lois Dorothy Wheeler and Mrs. Lois McNameel, both of Detroit; 19 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers, members of the Moose Lodge, were Everett Jones, Bud Wales, Bud Taylor, Walter Confer, Jerry Welsh, Clete Tetling and Alford Hansen.

Services Friday For Mrs. Harriet Myers

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriet (Jenny) Myers, 41, of Frederic were held Friday, July 2, at Sorenson Funeral Home. Rev. Paul Frederick officiated and burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic.

Mrs. Myers was born in Grayling August 24, 1929. She is survived by three sons, Richard, Daniel and David, all of Frederic.

Pallbearers were Jim Horton, George Horton, Mike Harmer, Donald McClelland, Lyland Charon and Duane Hamblin.

Services Held For Former Resident

Mrs. Katie R. Waldron, 93, of Lansing died Wednesday in Lansing. She was a former Grayling resident, moving to Lansing 25 years ago.

Mrs. Waldron was a member of the Judson Memorial Baptist Church, the W.C.T.U., the Friendship Birthday Club and the Rebecca Circle of the Church. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Richardson of Lansing and Mrs. Hazel Morgan of Cadillac; 21 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Religious services were conducted by Dr. Charles A. Jones of the Judson Memorial Baptist Church at four o'clock Friday at the Estes-Leadey Colonial Chapel in Lansing, with graveside service at three o'clock Saturday at Elmwood Cemetery, Grayling.

Local Resident's Relative Killed In Car Accident

Eric (Rick) Richter, 24, was pronounced dead at the scene of a car accident near Kalamazoo Friday, June 25. Funeral services and burial were in Plainwell on the 28th.

He was born in Grayling and had served four years in the Navy, one of which was in Vietnam.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Yvonne Richter of Otsego; father, Carl Richter of Gaylord; two brothers, Gregg of Kalamazoo and Warren of Otsego; one sister, Carlene, at home; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hall of Grayling.

Attending the funeral from Grayling were Whitey and Shirley Somero, Esther Hall, Tom Roby, Tootie Wylie, Dorothy Stillwagon, Martha Madill, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jennings.

Louis (Al) Carriveau Succumbs Suddenly

Louis (Al) Carriveau, 66, died of a heart attack at his home in Karen Woods Wednesday, June 30. He was born in Standish on October 9, 1904, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Carriveau. He had been employed at Bear Archery until his retirement and was a member of St. Mary's Church.

Funeral services were held Saturday at St. Mary's Church with Msgr. Victor Gallagher officiating. A Wake Service was held Friday evening at Sorenson Funeral Home. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic.

Mr. Carriveau is survived by his wife, Ann; one daughter, Mrs. Edmund (Shirley) Rulkowski of Grayling; one brother, Edward of Flint; six sisters, Mrs. Alice Orin and Mrs. Dorothy Lord of Warren; Mrs. Eva McIntyre and Mrs. Metha Duncan of Roseville; Mrs. Beatrice Williams and Mrs. Mildred Selthoffer of Prudenville; also six grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Leo Lovely, Bill Sorenson, Harvey Rowland, Bill Worden, Nels Olson and Roy Roper.

Thursday Services For Wilbert E. Simpson, 68

Wilbert E. Simpson, 68, of 604 Ottawa, passed away at Mercy Hospital June 29. Funeral services were held Thursday at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Frederick of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mr. Simpson was a retired District Supt. of the State Highway Dept., Alpena district. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge #356 F&AM. He was born in Cook County, Ill. August 18, 1902.

Surviving is his wife, Della; three daughters, Mrs. Edwina LaChapelle of St. Johns, Mrs. Barbara Benjamin of Walled Lake and Mrs. Joan Murphy of Roscommon; two brothers, Elmer of Lake City and Lloyd of Glendale, Calif.; also, 12 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were from the Masonic Lodge, Arthur Clough, Jr., Jim Post, Spike McNeven, Jack Millikin, Norman Feldhaus, and Dewain Hall. Services were under the auspices of the Lodge.

Final Rites For Mrs. Bertha Epley

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Epley, 72, of Beaver Creek were held Thursday at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Haskel of St. John Lutheran Church officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Epley was born February 9, 1899 at Bad Axe. She had been a resident of Beaver Creek for 40 years.

Survivors include two sons, William Epley of Grayling and Perry Epley of Ada, Okla.; two brothers, Henry Higgs and Charles Higgs, both of Bad Axe; four sisters, Mrs. Margaret Finkell and Mrs. Mamie Sovereign, both of Bad Axe, Mrs. Frances Detchen of Sterling, and Mrs. Sarah Canfield of Frederic, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers from the American Legion Post #106 were Alvin Moore, Earl Wood and Shirley Arnold. Also, Alvin Brown, and Roger Johnson.

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Four County Students Receive CMU Degrees

Graduates from 16 states and seven foreign countries were among the 1,495 awarded degrees during recent commencement ceremonies at Central Michigan University.

In all, the University awarded eight specialist degrees, 2,066 master's degrees and 1,281 bachelor's degrees.

Commencement speaker, Dr. Robert L. Ewigleben, the president of Ferris State College, received an honorary Doctor of Public Service Degree, during the exercises.

Local recipients of degrees were Kerrigan G. Clough, 500 McClelland St., Master of Arts; Katherine E. Funck, 409 Chestnut, Bachelor of Arts; Nancy J. Knibbs, 701 Peninsular, Bachelor of Science in Education; Dane Eric Madsen, 404 Ionia St., Bachelor of Science in Education.

ATTEMPT TO FORM RETIRED PERSONS CHAPTER IN AREA

Fred Fassen, president of the American Association of Retired Persons urges the members in the Grayling area to form a local chapter.

AARP has a national membership of over 2,800,000 members with over 82,000 in Michigan.

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Services available through membership include travel geared to mature requirements, medical necessities at reasonable prices, temporary and part-time employment opportunities, group health and automobile insurance endorsed by the association.

AARP is sponsor of the five million dollar Ethel Percy Andrus Gerontology Center at the University of Southern California, a step toward providing dignity, purpose and direction for older persons everywhere.

All interested persons over the age of 55 are urged to contact Melvin E. Thompson, Assistant to the State Director, Box 300, National City, Michigan 48748.

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Bonus For Viet Veterans May Be Up To State Voters

If Michigan voters are willing to bond themselves for \$100 million, Michigan veterans of the Vietnam conflict could receive bonuses up to \$500 depending upon their length of service, according to Sen. John F. Toeppe.

A bill to submit the bonding proposal has been introduced in the House of Representatives. If approved by the legislature and the governor, the bonding proposal would be up for a vote of Michigan residents at the next general election.

Backers of the measure note that veterans of all other wars have been given bonuses. They estimate that under present conditions the bonuses would cost approximately \$95.8 million.

According to the latest figures, 189,000 Michigan Vietnam era veterans have been discharged up to June 30, 1970. Vietnam era veterans are those with service after August 4, 1964.

Veterans Trust Fund records show that 2,249 Michigan servicemen have been killed in the Far East since 1963.

The bill provides that, to be eligible for a bonus a veteran must have been either born in or have lived in Michigan before entering the service; born in Michigan and lived elsewhere without abandoning his Michigan residence; or born elsewhere, but had been a resident of Michigan at least six months before entering the service.

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SPACE and AERONAUTICS

APOLLO 15

WASHINGTON — The United States will send another expedition to the Moon soon. This time with twice as much equipment and payload as any previous vehicle.

The 12-day flight is Apollo 15, scheduled for launch from Cape Kennedy no earlier than July 26.

Air Force Colonel David R. Scott, a veteran of Gemini 8 and Apollo 9 space flights will be the commander. Command module pilot is Maj. Alfred M. Worden, and lunar module pilot is Lt. Col. James B. Irwin. Both are Air Force officers and neither has flown in space before.

Plans call for astronauts Scott and Worden to spend about 20 hours out of their lunar module exploring the Moon's surface. This is twice as long as time spent on the Moon by Alan Shepard and Ed Mitchell during the Apollo 14 mission.

But the Apollo 15 crew will be able to get around easier. They'll have their own lunar automobile, a battery powered lunar roving vehicle which will cart them, their tools, and communications equip-

ment around on their three trips.

The lunar rover and an improved space suit and life support system make it possible to increase both the range and efficiency of these expeditions. Stowed aboard the lunar module are enough consumables — water, food, oxygen — to double the time an astronaut can work on the lunar surface.

A television camera mounted on the lunar roving vehicle will provide coverage of astronaut surface exploration events while the vehicle is not actually in motion. The television system includes a ground command capability which could permit the first television coverage of lunar module liftoff from the lunar surface.

The landing site for the mission is the Hadley-Apennine area of the Moon between the Apennine Mountains to the east which peak to 13,000 feet above the landing site and the meandering Hadley Rille, about a mile wide and 1,200 feet deep.

For the first time on an Apollo return flight from the Moon, the spacecraft command module pilot will leave the cabin, move along the outside of the spacecraft to retrieve films from the scientific instrument module, for return to Earth. Television coverage of this activity is being planned.

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Kirtland Screening Committee at Work



AN EIGHT-MEMBER screening committee for the Dean of Student Affairs position completed their assignment this week. That of reviewing all applications and recommending candidates to President Stenger for personal interviews. Pictured here are committee members (l. to r.) seated, Owen Ellison, Chairman Sue Barnett, Consultant Ralph Banfield, and Vickie Gentile; standing, Herb Ostrander, Don Fenton

and Ted Lawrence, during one of their study sessions. Member Richard Silverman was absent when the picture was taken. Miss Sue Barnett, Student Senate President for next year, and a student representative to this committee, was elected Chairman by vote of all members. Interviews are being scheduled and will be completed so that the appointment to this position may be announced about mid July.

Extra Feature at Film Showing
Visitors to the Kirtland Community College showing of the "Civilization" series last Thursday evening were treated to a Lucky Strike extra. Mrs. Ruth Schliebe and Jim Richardson of West Branch performed two numbers on the cello and piano—Bach's Arioso & Parades' Sicilienne. Mr. Richardson, a music major at Central Michigan University played his 225 year-old cello accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Schliebe. They have promised to perform again at future showings of the film series.

Cosmetology Graduates are Licensed
Four graduates of Kirtland's Cosmetology Course have passed their State Board Exam and are now licensed hairdressers. Each one is now employed in a Salon in her respective area. The girls are Miss Jackie Swanson, Houghton Lake; Mrs. Sue Beutler, Roscommon; Miss Gloria Kotz, Standish; and Miss Sandra Lynk, Houghton Lake.

Summer School Facts
Summer classes are nearing the halfway point at Kirtland. Ten classes are being offered on

Completes Army Command Course

Ft. Leavenworth, Kan. (AHT NC) June 16 — Army Major Theodore G. Davenport, son of Max Davenport, AuSable Trail, Grayling, Mich., was graduated June 11 from the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan. Major Davenport was one of 1,247 Army, Navy, Air Force and Allied officers who graduated from the college.

The 10-month course prepares officers for duty as Command General Staff Officers in the field in time of war. In this, officers are instructed in methods of research and formulation of military doctrine.

Commencement speaker was Army General Ralph E. Haines, Commanding General of the U.S. Continental Army Command.

Major Davenport entered the army in June 1957. He has served in Vietnam, and holds the bronze star medal, the meritorious service medal and two awards of the army commendation medal. He is next scheduled for assignment with the adjutant general of central army group, Germany.

Major Davenport received his B. S. degree in 1957 from Central Michigan College, Mt. Pleasant, Mich., and his M. B. A. degree in 1967 from the University of Arizona at Tucson. He is a member of the Beta Gamma Sigma Fraternity.

The Major's wife, Anne, was with him at the Fort during his training at the college.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Moose Lodge No. 1162, Women of the Moose, Dr. Henig, the Sorenson Funeral Home and the many friends of the Viri Sunday family, we wish to thank each and everyone for the kindness shown at this time of deep sorrow.

What - Where - When

SSG Edwin S. Cramblit, Jr., U.S. Army Career Counseling, is at the Court House Tuesdays between 12:30 and 2:30.

Veterans Representative Earl Langley will be in the Court House the 2nd Wednesday of every month from 9:30 until 2:30.

Tuesdays at 7:00, Duplicate Bridge games, basement meeting room, Crawford County Bldg.

First Tuesday of month: reorganized Lovells Hook and Trigger Club meeting.

First Wednesday of month, Grayling Sportsman's Club, 8 p.m.

Crawford Grange business meetings are the second Wednesday of each month, social meeting fourth Wednesday, at the Woman's Club building.

2nd Monday of Month: Chapter #28, Michigan State Employees Assn. at Grayling Research Station, 7:30 p.m.

1st Wednesday of Month: Grayling Chapter #83, O.E.S. at Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.

Grayling Lodge #356 F&AM regular communication, first Thursday of month.

July 19, Crawford-Roscommon Co. Unit of Mich. Diabetes Assn. meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Court House. Everyone welcome.

July 20: ABWA potluck at Lois Morningstar's home, 6:30 p.m.

July 25: Frederic Community Picnic, 1 p.m. at Frederic Park. Everyone welcome.

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Twilight Twirlers

The Twirlers added a nice flash of color and snap to the Grayling 4th of July parade Sunday afternoon.

There are no lessons this week because Mrs. Ward and several of the girls are at baton camp at Northwood Institute in Midland. Classes will resume at 6:30 and 7:30 on Monday, July 12th.

The group will be marching in the Cherry Festival Parade at Traverse City July 15th and the Alpenfest Parade in Gaylord July 17th.

Stationery is being sold to make money for drums.

Connie Beatty, publicity

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends, for the gifts and acts of kindness, the Woman's club for the funeral breakfast, to everyone who helped in any way during the recent loss of our loved one. Your thoughtfulness and kindness was deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Ann Cariveau and Mrs. Shirley Rutkowski

Authorize Gen-Tel For Rate Increase

The Michigan Public Service Commission today authorized General Telephone to increase its rates for both business and residential service. The increase, the first since 1961, will be effective beginning July 6. Detailed information concerning rate changes will be included with the first bills that reflect the change.

"The company has greatly improved and expanded service to its customers in the past decade, spending over \$228 million for new construction to do the job," General Telephone President T. A. Saunders said. "The new rates, which will produce approximately \$6.5 million of additional annual revenue should enable us to attract the additional new investor capital needed to continue our service improvement and expansion program at the same or at an even higher level."

The utility president added that the company plans to spend over \$200 million for scheduled construction projects in the next five years.

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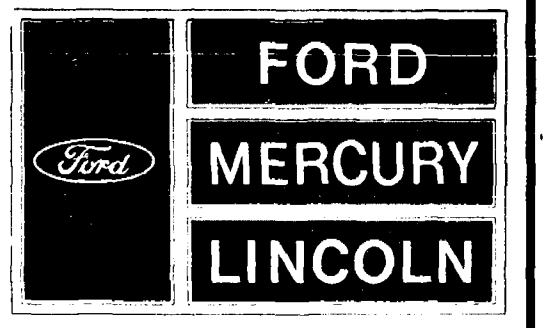
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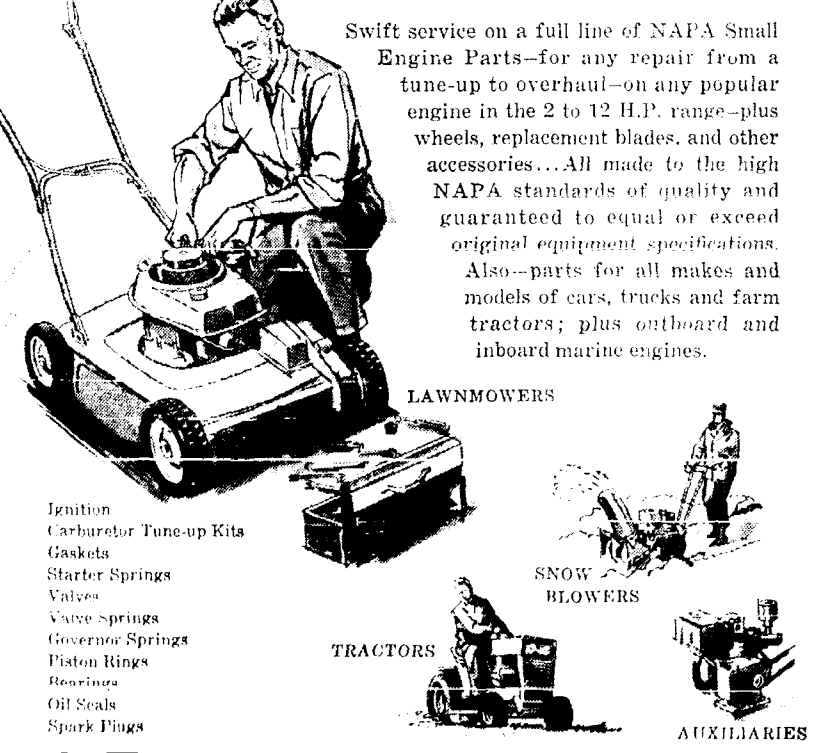
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